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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON

9 UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

11 Plaintiff,

12 v.

13 MARCELO ANTHONY BENSON,

15 Defendant.

**1:22-CR-2043-SMJ**  
INDICTMENT

Vio.: 18 U.S.C. §§ 922(g)(1),  
924(a)(2)  
Felon in Possession of Firearm

18 U.S.C. § 924(d), 28 U.S.C.  
§ 2461(c)  
Forfeiture Allegations

18 The Grand Jury charges:

19 On or about March 3, 2021, in the Eastern District of Washington, the

20 Defendant, MARCELO ANTHONY BENSON, knowing of his status as a person  
21 previously convicted of a crime punishable by imprisonment for a term exceeding one  
22 year, did knowingly and intentionally possess in and affecting commerce, a firearm, to  
23 wit: an Interarms, Model Silver Cup, .45 caliber semi-automatic handgun bearing  
24 serial number 1601767, which firearm had theretofore been transported in interstate  
25 and foreign commerce, all in violation of 18 U.S.C. §§ 922(g)(1), 924(a)(2).  
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INDICTMENT-1

NOTICE OF CRIMINAL FORFEITURE

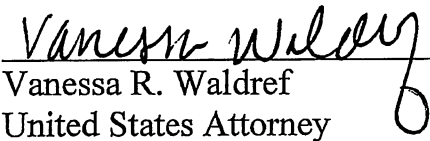
The allegations contained in this Indictment are hereby realleged and incorporated by reference for the purpose of alleging forfeitures.


Pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 924(d)(1) and 28 U.S.C. § 2461(c), upon conviction of an offense in violation of 18 U.S.C. §§ 922(g)(1), 924(a)(2), as set forth in this Indictment, the Defendant, MARCELO ANTHONY BENSON, shall forfeit to the United States of America, any firearms and ammunition involved or used in the commission of the offense, including, but not limited to:

an Interarms, Model Silver Cup, .45 caliber semi-automatic handgun bearing serial number 1601767

DATED this \_\_\_\_ day of May, 2022.

A TRUE BILL

  
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